money for bail. I sold the mules from the Talbott farm to John Hann at Pattee Park in St. Joseph and "Poke" Wells was bailed out. This was some time in July, 1881."

"Howard" Sought Lewis

Cush lived on a farm near the old Everhart place northwest of Barnard at the time with his mother. He had been a frequent visitor at the Talbott home and the boys had been frequent visitors at the Lewis home, often staying all night.

"On the 18th of July," said Cush, "I was at home shortly after dinner when 'Poke' Wells came to the house and called me out. I asked him who the fellow was who was with him. He told me it was a man by the name of Howard. Howard came up and we talked a long while. In the conversation Howard said he was Jesse James, and I had no reason to disbelieve him.

"Howard or James, wanted me to go to the jail at Savannah about supper time, (the Talbott boys had been moved from St. Joseph to Savannah during this time) and then he and his gang would make the jail delivery. I told Howard that I didn't want to do this. When asked if I had cold feet, I told him no, but I had been a friend to the Talbott boys all my life, that one of the boys had stayed all night with me after the killing of their father, and that I was more or less under suspicion. I told him that if I went to the jail and then the break was made at that time I would get into trouble and as I was the only support of my aged mother, I didn't want to do it. Howard told me he didn't blame me a bit and the matter was dropped. But in some way the authorities got word of a probable jailbreak and moved the boys to Maryville and placed a guard both inside and outside of the jail."

When asked to describe Howard, Lewis said he was about ten years older than he was, which would make Howard about 85 or 86 at this time, that he was short of stature and weighed about 150 pounds.

Howard at the Hanging

Asked if he ever saw Howard, or James,, again, Cush said, "Yes, I saw him the day the Talbott boys were hung. He was in Maryville that day and we talked a long time together. We didn't talk about trying to deliver the boys from the officers, for James or Howard saw there was no use to try it. But he and Mrs. Talbott and myself ate dinner together in Mrs.

business men of the town desire a picnic, although a few do not believe it is the thing this year, and the Bulletin has ascertained that many of the people in the country would dislike to see the picnic abandoned.

Tulloch said this morning that if the people wanted a picnic he was willing to do all he could to help hold one, but he wanted the entire community behind it. At the band concert last night the band players agreed to offer their services without cost to the picnic, if it did not pay out. For a number of years the picnic has only broken even financially or has lost money. A note for $95.00 is outstanding now, and several years ago each member of the committee, seven or eight in number, had to pay $6.00 in cash to prevent a further deficit.

It is the idea of those interested in the picnic this year to try to hold it to a local affair as much as possible. It is probable that a meeting will be called sometime the coming week to definitely dispose of the question of whether we shall have a picnic or not.

Schafer-Davis.

Miss Catherine Schafer of Maryville, daughter of B. Schafer of Memphis, Indiana, and Leland Davis, son of Mrs. W. J. Campbell of Barnard, were married Tuesday morning at St. Patrick's residence by Fr. Graham. They were attended by Miss Lorena Schafer, a sister of the bride and Joseph Growney of Maryville. After the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Davis left in their car for South Missouri for a short honeymoon trip.

Mrs. Davis is employed as a telephone operator in the Bell offices at Maryville. Davis is proprietor of the Davis Motor Co. of this place. They will make their home at the Campbell home for a time after their return from their trip. The many friends of the groom in this vicinity wish him well.

WEDDING TRIP TO SWEDEN

Announcements have been received here of the marriage of Miss Bessie Eisiminger of Kansas City, Mo., to Eric Pearson, also of Kansas City. The wedding took place November 18, last. Mrs. Pearson is a former Barnard resident. Mr. and Mrs. Pearson expect to sail the latter part of this month for Sweden where they will spend two months. Mrs. Pearson owns a farm southwest of Barnard. She is well known here being related to Mrs. M. V. Baker.

usual at 10 a. m. Ernest Stalling, Supt.

Morning worship, 11 a. m.

The morning and evening subjects will both deal with the economic conditions from the standpoint of the Christian's attitude toward it. Some say the reason for the present economic conditions are that we have forgot God and yet they never darken the church doors.

Who furnishes the minister for funeral occasions? Who furnishes sacred music; Who is responsible for our present state of civilization? What do we need. More religious tolerance, less selfishness and a broader outlook on life.

We most earnestly covet your presence at these services.

H. E. MARSHALL,
Pastor.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Sunday School at 10.

Preaching at 11 by the Pastor.

Subject

"His Glorious Presence"

At 8 o'clock p. m. we will hold a union service with the Methodist church down town.

PREACHING AT CHURCH OF CHRIST

Bro. Van Dusan of Kansas City, will preach at the Church of Christ Sunday morning and evening. Everyone is cordially invited to hear him and attend all services.

WILLIS CASSADY INJURED

Willis Cassady of the firm of Criss & Cassady, was injured Wednesday about 2:30 p. m., at the home of Mrs. Christa Jackson, where he was helping to clear the premises of the effects of the storm. Cassady was working in a tree, attempting to get a broken limb, when he fell and the heavy limb fell on him, crushing his leg. It is not known just how seriously he is injured at this time. He has been suffering intense pain since the accident.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Swearingen of Kansas City are visiting this week with Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Hargrave. Mrs. Swearingen was formerly Miss Mabel Chapman, a former Barnard resident.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Griggs and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Griggs attended the Whiteford reunion in the Whiteford neighborhood southeast of Guilford Sunday.

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